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OF COSMETIC AND DERMATOLOGICAL FORMULATIONS

Appeal No. 2009-011841

NOTICE OF FILING OF REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
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Sir:

This is to advise the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences that Appellants have filed a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) in the above-referenced application.

In this regard, Appellants note that a hearing is scheduled to take place on June 10, 2010 and that in view of the filing of an RCE (and the withdrawal of the appeal associated therewith) this hearing is no longer warranted.

Respectfully submitted,
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